

Title (en)

Method and system for switching monitoring units of an electronic location monitoring system

Title (de)

Verfahren und Vorrichtung zur Umschaltung von Überwachungsmodulen eines elektronischen Ortungs- Überwachungssystem

Title (fr)

Procédé et système pour commuter les unités de surveillance d'un système électronique de surveillance de position

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2005020178A1] A method and apparatus for operating a monitoring unit operable to receive signals from a mobile transmitter in an electronic location monitoring system involves causing a first receiver to change a signal reception threshold thereof for receiving signals from the mobile transmitter, in response to proximity of the monitoring unit relative to a reference position whereby the receiver rejects signals received from the mobile transmitter that have a signal strength below the signal reception threshold and receives and processes signals received from the mobile transmitter that have a signal strength above the signal reception threshold. Alternatively, detection of a first monitoring unit in proximity to a second monitoring unit may cause the second monitoring unit to take over receiving signals from the mobile transmitter while the first monitoring unit is put into a low power mode.

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